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	First Named Inventor	Bruce Bower
	COMPLETE IF KNOWN	
	Application Number	/
	Filing Date	02/08/2002
	Group Art Unit	
	Examiner Name	

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

A Circuit Protection Device

the specification of which

(Title of the Invention)

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

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I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

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Application Number(s)	Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	
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Docket No.

QT-2002-2-NP

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Title: **A Current Control Device**

Serial No., if Any:

Filed: 02 / 08 / 2002

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(37 CFR 1.9(f) & 1.27(c))--SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN

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Applicant, Patentee, or Identifier: Bruce Bower

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I hereby state that I am

- ☒ the owner of the small business concern identified below:
☐ an official of the small business concern empowered to act on behalf of the concern identified below:

NAME OF SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN QorTek, Inc.

ADDRESS OF SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN 4121 Jacks Hollow Road, Williamsport, PA 17702

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☐ the application identified above.
☐ the patent identified above.

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